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Plan of Study adopted in the Private Medical School, established by DAVID HOSACK, M. D.

To those Students who have not received a liberal education, the following works are recommended previously to the commencement of their Medical Studies:

RHETORIC AND BELLES LETTRES.

Murray's Grammar, (large ed.)
Blair's Lectures on Rhetoric,
Duncan's Logic,
Campbell's Philosophy of Rhetoric,
Gregory's Letters on Composition,
Kett's Elements of Human Knowledge,
Barron's Lectures on Belles Lettres and Logic,
Gerard on Genius,
Do. on Taste,
Alison on Taste.

GEOGRAPHY.

D'Anville's Ancient Geography,
Puffendorf's Modern do.
Morse's American do.

HISTORY.

Priestley's Lectures on History,
Tytler's Outlines of General History,
Anquetil's Universal History,
Miller's Retrospect of the 18th Century.

NATURAL PHILOSOPHY.

Helsham's Lectures,
Gregory's Economy of Nature,
Cavallo's Natural Philosophy,
Inison's School of Arts,
Ferguson's Astronomy.

MORAL PHILOSOPHY.

Beattie's Elements of Moral Science,
—— Essay on Truth,
Paley's Principles of Moral and Political Philosophy.

It is also recommended to the young gentlemen, unprepared by a collegiate course of study, to attend, at least, one course of lectures on Mathematics and Natural Philosophy, as delivered in Columbia College, and to devote an hour daily to the Latin, Greek, and French languages, under the direction of a private teacher.

FIRST YEAR OF MEDICAL STUDIES.

ANATOMY.

System of Anatomy from the Encyclopædia Britannica,
Bell's Anatomy,
Fyfe's Anatomy,
Wistar's Anatomy,
Gordon's Anatomy,
Jadelot's Myology, (coloured plates.)
Bell on the Bones, muscles, &c. (plates.)
Bell on the Blood Vessels, (coloured do.)
—— on the Nerves, (do.)
—— on the Brain, (do.)
Cralkshanks on the Absorbents.

PHYSIOLOGY.

Richerand's Physiology, 2.
Gregory's Conspectus Medicinæ, vol. 1st.

CHEMISTRY.

Lavoisier's Chemistry,
Henry's do.
Black's do.
Jacquin's do.
Murray's Elements of Chemistry.
Davy's do.

BOTANY.

Smith's Botany,
Miller's Illustrations, (coloured plates),
Willdenow's Botany

MATERIA MEDICA.

Lewis's Dispensatory,
Duncan's Edinburgh Dispensatory,

Thacher's American Dispensatory,
Murray's System of Materia Medica,
Pearson's Synopsis of do.

PRACTICE OF PHYSIC AND SURGERY.

Bell's, B. System of Surgery, 2
Bell's, C. System of Dissections,
Fordyce on Fevers,

Scarfild on Cow-pock

SECOND YEAR.

ANATOMY.

Albinus' Anatomical Plates,
Monro's System of Anatomy,
Anatomie de Sabatier,
Cuvier's Comparative Anatomy,
Blumenbach's do.
Baillie's Morbid Anatomy,

PHYSIOLOGY.

Moore's Medical Sketches, 1
Hewson on the Blood,
Falconer and Hewson's Experiments on do.
Hunter on the Blood,
Saumarez's Physiology, 1
Bostock on Respiration,
Cruikshanks on Perspiration,
Physiologie de Dumas,
Blumenbach's Institutions of Physiology,

SURGERY.

on Infants; Cooper's Surgery, 1
Dorsey's Surgery,
Bell's, J. Surgery, by Smith, 1
Boyer on the Bones,
Bell's C. Operative Surgery,
Abernethy's Surgical Observations,
Desault's Surgery,
Pott's Surgical Works,
Crowther on White Swelling,
Ford on the Hip Joint,
Cooper on the Joints,
Sheldon on Fracture of the Patella,
Russel on Necrosis,
Fox on the Teeth 2
Hunter on the Venereal. 2

CHEMISTRY AND MINERALOGY.

Murray's System of Chemistry,

Chaptal's Chemistry,
Accum's do
Phillip's Mineralogy,
Bakewell's Geology,
Jameson's Mineralogy,

BOTANY.

Earton's Botany.
Woodville's Medical Botany, (coloured pl.)
Linnæus' Systema Vegetabilium,
——— Genera Plantarum,
Willdenow's Species Plantarum,
Jussieu's Natural Orders,
Persoon's Synopsis.

MATERIA MEDICA.

Duncan's Therapeutics,
Gregory's Conspectus Medicinæ, vol. 2d.
Barton's Collections towards a Materia
Medica.

PRACTICE OF PHYSIC.

Cullen's Nosology,
——— Practice of Physic,
Wilson on Febrile Diseases,
Saunders on the Liver,
Willich on Diet and Regimen. 2

MIDWIFERY.

Bard's Compendium,
Merriman's Synopsis,
Denman's Midwifery,
Smellie's Plates,
Hunter on the Gravid Uterus. (plates)
Hogben's, do. (coloured pl.)

London Practice of midwifery.

Edinburgh Practice

THIRD YEAR.

ANATOMY.

Vicq D'Azyr on the Brain, (coloured pl.)
Scarpa Tabulæ Nervorum. (pl.)
Monro on the Nervous System, (plates)
Sheldon on the Absorbents,
Morgagni on the Seat and Causes of Disease,
Colles' Surgical Anatomy.

PRACTICE OF PHYSIC

Huxham on Fevers.
Pringle on Diseases of the Army,
Biane's Diseases of Seamen.
Cleghorn's Diseases of Minorca,
Lind's Works,
Thomas' Practice of Physic.

Hall on Diagnosis.

Hippocratic Aphorisms & Epidemics

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Sydenham's Works,
Rush's Works,
Percival's Essays,
Fothergill's Works,
Reid on Consumption,
Young on do
Whytt on Nervous Diseases,
Moseley on Tropical Diseases,
Senac on Fevers,
Heberden's Commentaries,
Duncan's Medical Cases,
Christholm on the Malignant Fever,
Haygarth's Histories,
Currie's Medical Reports,
Saunders on Mineral Waters,
Cruikshank on Opium,
Mazzuchini on the Mercurial Disease,
Swediaur on the Venereal,
Bell on do.
Pearson on do.
M. Bride's Practice of Physic,
Experiments,
Alexander's Experiments,
Warren on Diseases of the Heart,
Corvisart on do.
Willan on Diseases of the Skin, (coloured plates)
Bateman's do.
Ferriar's Medical Histories and Reflections,
Robertson's History of the Atmosphere,
Huicland on Long Life,
Harrison on Purgatives,
Richter's Observations,
Cogan on the Passions,
Peimberton on the Abdominal Viscera,
Blackall on Dropsies,
Parry's Elements of Pathology and Therapeutics,
Boerhaave's Aphorisms,
Van Swieten's Commentaries,
Hoffman's Practice,
Celsus de Medicina.

SURGERY.

Bell's, J. Surgery, (plates.)
Boyer's, do.
Cooper on do. (plates.)
Camper on Hernia, (plates)
Lawrence on do.
Scarpa on Aneurism,
on the Eye.
Saunders on the Ear, (plates.)
Ware on the Eye, Hemorrhoids, &c.
Hey's Practical Observations on Surgery.
Jones on Hemorrhage.

CHEMISTRY

Thompson's System of Chemistry,
Johnson's Animal Chemistry,

MATERIA MEDICA.

Allibert's Materia Medica.
Murray's Apparatus Medicamentum.

MIDWIFERY AND THE DISEASES OF WOMEN AND CHILDREN.

Hamilton's, A. Works on Midwifery,
J. Jun. do
Denman's Aphorisms, A

Clark's Midwifery,
Burn's Works on Midwifery,
Baudeloque's Midwifery,
White on Lying in Women,
White, on the Swelling of the Lower Extremities of Lying in Women,
Perfect's Cases of Midwifery,
Cheyne's Diseases of Children,
Underwood's do.
Heberden's do.
Sparman's do.
Cheyne's Pathology of the Larynx and Trachea.

PHYSIOLOGY AND PATHOLOGY OF THE HUMAN MIND.

Reid's Inquiry,
Active Powers,
Intellectual Powers,
Hartley on Man,
Stewart's Philosophy of the Human Mind,
Philosophical Essays,
Crichton on Mental Derangement,
Arnold on Insanity,
Reid on do
Haslam on Madness,
Pinel on Insanity,
Hill on do.

NATURAL HISTORY.

Duméril's Histoire Naturelle,
Zoology,
Cabanis' Rapport du Physique et du Moral de l'Homme,
Playfair's Illustrations,
Cuvier's Theory of the Earth,
Goldsmith's Earth and Animated Nature,
Wood's Buffon's Natural History,
Keith's Physiological Botany,
Mirbel's Elements de Botanique,

MEDICAL JURISPRUDENCE.

Barclay's Forensic Medicine,
Male's Medical Jurisprudence,
Fodere's Medicine Legale,
Mahon do.

HISTORY OF MEDICINE.

Cabanis' Revolutions in Medicine, I
Freind's History of Medicine,
Le Clerc's do.
Hillary on the Means of Improving Medical Knowledge.
Sprengel's Histoire de la Médecine,
Percival's Medical Ethics,
Zimmerman on Experience.

BOOKS OF REFERENCE.

Martyn's Language of Botany,
Milne's Botanical Dictionary,
Turton's Medical Glossary,
Cooper's Surgical Dictionary, by Dorsey,
Dictionnaire des Sciences Médicales,
Rees' Cyclopædia
Brewster's Encyclopædia,
Nicholson's Chemical Dictionary,
Aiken, J. & C. do.

Paris Med! Dictio

Physiology.

Le Gallois on Life.

Phillips' Inquiry into the Vital Force

Hall's Physiology (large work)

Dissections.

Duncan's Medical Logic.

Clay's Puerperal Disease.

PERIODICAL WORKS, RECOMMENDED TO BE READ.

London Medical Transactions,
London Medical Observations and Inquiries
Physical and Literary Essays of Edinburgh,
Chirurgical Transactions, by Hunter,
Home &c.

London Medical Museum,
London Medical Communications,
Memoirs of the Medical Society of London,
Medical Facts and Observations,
Duncan's Medical Commentaries,
Annals of Medicine.

Edinburgh Medical and Surgical Journal,
Medical and Chirurgical Review,
London Medical Review,
Annual Medical Register and Review,
Transactions of the Medical Society of
London

Medico-Chirurgical Transactions,
Memoires de l'Academie Royale de Chi-
rurgie.

Journal de Physique,
Journal de Medicine,
Bibliothèque Medicale,
Nicholson's Philosophical Journal,
Tilloch's Philosophical Magazine,
Thompson's Annals of Philosophy,
Transactions of the Royal Society of Edin-
burgh,

Memoirs of the Manchester Society,

Transactions of the Royal Society of Lon-
don,

Transactions of the Linnæan Society,
Transactions of the Wernerian Natural His-
tory Society.

Transactions of the American Philosophi-
cal Society,

Transactions of the Literary and Philoso-
phical Society of New-York,

Memoirs of the American Academy of Arts
and Sciences,

Memoirs of the Connecticut Academy of
Arts and Sciences,

Transactions of the College of Physicians
of Philadelphia.

New-York Medical Repository,
Coxe's Philadelphia Medical Museum,

Barton's Medical and Physical Journal,
Massachusetts Medical Communications,

New-York Philosophical Journal and Re-
view.

Eclectic Repertory,
Emporium of the Arts,

American Medical and Philosophical Re-
gister,

Potter's Medical Lyceum,
New-England Journal of Medicine and
Surgery.

In the preceding list are enumerated those writings on medicine and the auxiliary branches of science, an acquaintance with which is deemed essential to constitute the basis of a medical education ; and though it is not expected that any student, however laborious, can render himself familiar with them during the short period of time to which his studies are necessarily limited, yet it is to be hoped, that thus seeing a plan of study before him, he will remit no honourable exertion to its successful acquisition. The works of those distinguished writers will have taught him duly to appreciate the dignity and importance of his profession, and in the intervals of practice he will be induced to complete whatever of this outline he shall have left imperfect.

The private library of Dr. Hosack, consisting of the most valuable medical writings, ancient and modern,

is also constantly open to the student for the sake of reference and more satisfactory information. In addition to this source of instruction, he is also supplied with anatomical preparations, casts in plaster, coloured engravings, chemical tests, a cabinet of mineralogy, with other apparatus necessary to make the pupil acquainted with the structure of the human frame, the nature of its diseases, the natural history, chemical analysis, and pharmaceutical preparations of those articles which compose the *materia medica*. For the more complete accomplishment of his plan, Dr. HOSACK has associated himself with JOHN W. FRANCIS, M. D., the Professor of the Institutions of Medicine in this University, by whose assistance he is enabled to afford to his pupils the advantages of daily private lectures and examinations throughout the year.

Suitable apartments for study are also provided for the accommodation of the pupil, and such regulations adopted as will secure the benefits both of a private and a public system of instruction.

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